

The Fort Worth (Texas) Gazette, which is one of the fairest Democratic papers of the South among those that still cling to the wayback sentiment of that section, says that the solid South will not break up until the Republican party is dead. This is an old, time worn favorite bit of bluff, but following it is the oft repeated declaration that the South will never submit to "nigger supremacy," which, being interpreted, means that the colored men of the South shall not be allowed to vote men into office who are not acceptable to Southern Democracy.

Right there is located the disease which will sooner or later be fatal if not cured. The abridgement of man's political rights in any State of the Union is a direct assault upon the constitution and laws of the country which the solid South assumes the right to make under the miserable plea that the end justifies the means.

The Troy Times reminds the people that President Cleveland could only find time to write a three-line telegram of regret to the Grant memorial banquet in New York, but when the monument to John C. Calhoun was unveiled in Charleston, S. C., he wrote a long letter eulogizing in the most fulsome terms the South Carolina nullifier. John C. Calhoun's policy carried out would have disrupted the Union. Gen. Grant's military genius gave us a Union unbroken. Why the distinction made by President Cleveland? Doubtless the President was governed entirely by his own personal feelings in the matter, just as he was last Memorial day when he went out on a fishing excursion.

THE Democrats in the House mean to delay a vote on the tariff bill until after the Democratic National Convention, hoping that the action of the convention will drive doubtful Democrats to the support of the bill. To accomplish that purpose will require from a Democratic Convention the almost unprecedented achievement of making a straightforward, clear-cut declaration of principle. It is so long since the Democracy has had any principles that it don't know what to do with them. Dodging issues is more in its line.

New South Wales is taking the course regarding Chinese immigration that California would take if in her power. Yesterday the Colonial Premier moved the suspension of the rules to enable the House to pass a bill absolutely prohibiting Chinese immigration. These countries that are most exposed to that immigration like it least—such as California, Hawaii, the Australasian Colonies, the Philippines, the Straits Settlements, etc. This unanimity of sentiment in the best-informed communities should be entitled to weight.

FARM values in the United States have increased 33 1/2 per cent. since the present protective system was put in operation, and farm values in England have decreased 40 per cent. during the free trade reign in that country. And Mr. Henry Champain said only a few days ago in the English parliament that the farmers of England were now losing £50,000,000 (nearly two hundred and fifty million dollars) a year. Do the American farmers want free trade?

DOUBTLESS the impression prevails generally that the race of the red man is fast dwindling away and will in a few decades quite disappear, but according to General Crook this is a false impression. He says that the Indian population in this country is steadily increasing. If this be true the best thing the government can do is to pump them full of civilization and school books as quickly as possible.

Visitors from Abroad.

B. B. Farnsworth of Portland, Maine, and his wife are visiting relatives and friends in Reno. Mrs. Farnsworth is a sister of Miss Babcock, and she and her husband are domiciled at the pleasant home of Misses Clark and Babcock. Mr. and Mrs. Farnsworth have been lately visiting Southern California, and are now going to view the sights of Sageland.

The young ladies having charge of the arrangements for the Casino Ball to be given at Armory Hall on the evening of the 25th instant for the benefit of the Reno brass band, the proceeds to be devoted to the purchase of uniforms, report satisfactory progress and are confident that the ball will be one of the most successful of the season.

OVER THE WIRES.

Gresham as a Presidential Candidate.

A Loving Husband Kicks His Wife to Death.

Progress and Poverty George Gets Left-Boullanger's Paris Reception.

GRESHAM'S STRENGTH.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Colonel Ingersoll, who is a warm admirer of Judge Gresham, said yesterday that he believed the Judge would get the nomination at Chicago. The great orator paid a beautiful compliment to Gresham's splendid character, and closed by declaring that, in his opinion, he was the only man for the office. Congressman Payson of Illinois also spoke regarding Judge Gresham's chances. He declared that he was growing in popularity all through the West. He thinks, when the convention meets, the Gresham movement will be irresistible. Illinois Republicans will not allow the convention to be stamped for Blaine, as the Blaine sentiment has gone to Gresham.

The utterance of Ingersoll, who is practically an Illinois man, and Congressman Payson, who has much influence there, are given much weight here.

A BRUTAL HUSBAND.

A Case in Ohio Where Hanging Would be too Good.

ELYRIA, Ohio, May 17.—James Smith, of Lorain, is in jail here charged with a heinous assault upon his wife, which caused her death. About ten months ago Smith, who is twenty-one years old, married Ella White, aged fifteen. They did not live happily together. Thursday evening, on coming home, Smith found his wife preparing to attend a dance. This enraged him, and he commenced to tear her clothes. She escaped and ran into the street and he followed. He knocked her down and kicked her violently. For this assault he was arrested and fined. The young wife lingered in agony all day Friday and finally died during the night. Smith was rearrested and brought to this city. He does not deny that he beat his wife. She was a very beautiful young woman.

THE POPE'S RESORT.

It Will Soon be Explained From Irish Pulpits.

LONDON, May 17.—The Chronicle's Rome correspondent says: The papal receipt will be read from the Irish pulpits at an early date, with an explanation from the bishops, which will be tantamount to a Vatican revision to the effect that the Pope does not condemn the political objects of the Nationalist party, but only the means employed for obtaining those objects.

A Blow to Henry George.

TRENTON, N. J., May 17.—Vice-Chancellor Bird yesterday decided the case of the Hutchins heirs against Henry George. The clause in the will leaving Henry George a bequest for the purpose of aiding him in the execution of his peculiar ideas and theories among the people was declared void. The point made by the contestants was that it was in-lieu of a charitable, benevolent, nor educational bequest. The court said that George's will was a practice with respect to real estate in violation of the laws of the land. He could not sanction the spreading of such sentiments, and the will is therefore broken.

Yest's Best Resolution Adopted.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—After the morning business the Senate took up Yest's resolution providing for the selection of a committee to examine the questions touching meat products of the United States. After a long discussion the resolution was extended an hour to make the investigation embrace the Trunk Line Association, Central Traffic Association and other agencies of transportation, and was then adopted.

The Emperor Gaining Strength.

BERLIN, May 17.—The Emperor now walks with a firmer step. His handwriting is bolder and in all respects he appears to be stronger.

The Emperor's grand business morning with Count Von Winterfeldt, and this afternoon went to drive in the park, remaining out for an hour.

Boullanger's Reception.

PARIS, May 17.—General Boullanger has completed his tour and returned to Paris. A crowd of 100,000 met him at the Gare d'Orléans, and he was received with the honors of a hero.

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No Stays.

Excess of business has obliged Dr. Prentice to remain a few days longer in Reno. Those needing his services should see him at once. Do not wait until he is ready to leave, but give him time to attend to your case.

Attention, Firemen!

All members of Esquire Company, No. 1, are ordered to be present at the meeting to be held at Justice Young's court-room Thursday evening. By order of J. A. HAWKINS, Foreman, VICTOR LAMOTTE, Secretary.

PICK AND DRILL.

The "Gazette's" Weekly Summary of Mining News.

Tuscarora now ships about \$100,000 a month in bullion. The mines of Ione, Union district, Nye county, are all showing rich ore. Experts are examining the copper mines in Cedar district, Esmeralda county.

Reports from the copper mines located at Luning, Esmeralda county, are highly favorable.

A force is at work on the Chicago Company's mine at Ophir, Nye county, taking out the water.

A bar of bullion valued at about \$7,000 was shipped from the Standard mine in Bodie last week.

The Silver State notes the discovery of ore assaying from \$500 to \$1,500 per ton in Winnemucca Mountain.

The Argus Mining Company shipped last week from Taylor, White Pine county, bullion valued at \$6,028.85.

The mine at Mountain City are beginning to show a good showing in the production of the precious metal.

The Silver State says: Negotiations are in progress for the sale of the Pennsylvania mine and mill to an eastern company.

The Argus mill at Taylor, White Pine county, is in operation after a temporary shut down. The mill works on to within 95 per cent. of its assay value.

Last month 30,000 tons of ore were shipped to mills on the Carson river over the Virginia & Truckee railroad.

This beats the shipments in the old bonanza days.

The Commonwealth mine, Tuscarora, has out \$5 tons of \$800 ore and 220 tons of \$200 ore. No stopping has yet been done. All this came from development work.

The Silver State is informed that a new company has been organized to work the Cottonwood nickel and cobalt mines. Reduction works are to be built on the ground.

The Echo-queer and Star managers at Cherry Creek, White Pine county, have combined their interests and will hereafter work the ores of both mines at the Tungsten mill.

A body of free milling ore was found on the north level of the Yuta mine, Lincoln county, last week. It is several feet in width, and assays from 10 to 200 ounces in silver.

The development of mines in Willow Creek district, Humboldt county, will be vigorously prosecuted this year. Among the improvements will be the erection of another stamp mill.

Several men are employed by the company in taking out ore from the Esabella mine by the Tolyaba shaft, at Austin. They have taken out high-grade ore, an assay sample giving \$1,900.

Miners' wages in Seligman, White Pine county, at \$2 per day, board \$5 per week, lodging \$2.50 and from one to two per cent. on changing checks; and a man is compelled to obey this rule or quit.

A sample of ore from the Moonshine mine recently discovered by D. Wilcox and James Robin in Winnemucca Mountain, assayed \$816.96 to the ton, \$37.68 of which was in gold.

The Walker Brothers, of Salt Lake have had DeLong's mine in Washington district, Nye county, thoroughly examined by a competent expert. The ore is of a smelting character and is easily extracted.

The total cost of mining and milling ore from the Pacific mine, Anderson county, California, in March, 1888, was a fraction above 60 cents per ton. This included every item of cost in extracting the ore and converting it into bullion.

The Hidden Treasure mine, Gillis district, Esmeralda county, is owned by Levi Smith of Belleville. This mine is considered the best paying proposition in Gillis Mining district, notwithstanding the low grade of its ore, which is worth about \$40 per ton.

Clarence King, the eminent geologist, has concluded an inspection of mines at Hot Creek, Esmeralda county. He is of the opinion that the most important ore developments will result in prospecting the Ruby Hill mines to below their present workings.

The furnace of the Adelaide Copper Company at Golconda, Humboldt county, was recently blown out. The shaft has been sunk on the lead to water level, and at that depth the ledge is at least forty feet wide, the greater part of which is high grade ore.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEVITIES.

—Cox, M. P. for Clare, Ireland, was released from jail yesterday.

—New York and Connecticut Republicans favor the nomination of Dewey for President.

—The floods in the vicinity of Quincy, Illinois, have damaged property to the extent of nearly \$1,000,000.

—Emperor Dom Pedro's condition is again at a low ebb. Death may result at any moment, as he is unconscious half the time.

—After balloting a week for Governor, the Democratic nominees have finally renominated the present incumbent, Robert L. Taylor.

—Ben Butterworth of Ohio is credited with having made the best speech in Congress on the tariff question, on the Republican side.

—Norquay's request for a Royal Commission to investigate the charges against him has been denied. Norquay, Burrows and LaRivière will be examined together.

—Senator Merrill has appointed the following sub-committee of the Senate Committee on Finance to consider the tariff and revenue subjects: Aldrich, Hiseock, Beck and Harris.

—Harry Benson, the Pittsfield swindler, was extradited to Mexico last night committed to jail at the Ludlow street jail in New York by jumping from the second tier to the ground.

—Colonel James Woodford is dead. He was lieutenant of the regular army during the Mexican War. He entered the Confederate Treasury service at Richmond and issued all the Confederate bonds.

—The House Military Committee has reported favorably Townsend's bill appropriating \$25,000 to provide barracks, stables, bunting, etc., for the Georgia legion, provided none of the money shall be spent for alcoholic liquors.

—Good Business.

Many deal people have been very much benefited by Dr. Prentice's treatment. He has consented to remain in Reno a few days more. See him at once and give him time to attend to your case.

Fraser's Abietene Cough Balm is a combination of the Abietene, Ferba, and 2 Hain, is guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds and Lung Diseases. It is sold by J. H. Hain, 71 Centre St., and W. P. Plinkard. All other Abietene preparations bear the face-simile of a nature of J. H. Hain.

ASPERCET.

Dr. Bishop to Experiment with the German Forage Plant.

Dr. S. Bishop is in receipt of a package of aspercet seed from Dr. W. Bergman, formerly of Reno but now in Berlin. Accompanying the package, which was purchased of Gustav Otto Kolomon, No. 70 Lindenberg Strasse, Berlin, was a letter, in which the Doctor gives directions for its planting and cultivation.

They are as follows: The aspercet seed wants to be sowed before four hours in warm water before planting, so as to soften the outer shell. After the seed has been put in the ground, sprinkle the ground a little morning and night for a week or two, or until you can see that the seed is started. After that it is supposed that the grass will make its own way. The water for soaking the seed must be warm, but not hot. Dr. S. Bishop will experiment with the seed, and will sow a portion on the farm of the State Insane Asylum and the remainder on his ranch in Spanish Spring valley.

In his letter Dr. Bergman calls the seed aspercet, which is undoubtedly correct, and not "asperet" or "asperet" as Sam Davis alternately calls it, or "asperette" as Dan D. Quille invariably terms it.

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